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RE: Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

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MESSAGE:

RE: SERIAL NO. 10/037,178

FILED: October 23, 2001

EXAMINER: Aaron J. Capron

The following documents are transmitted herewith:

1. Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form (1 page)
2. Copy of Response filed 6/23/04 (8 pages)

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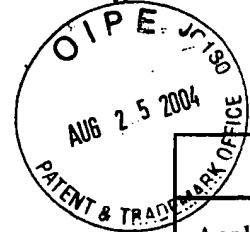
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Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 10 / 037,178 First Named Applicant: Clifton Lind
Examiner: Aaron Capron Art Unit: 3714 Status of Application: Pending

Tentative Participants:

(1) Russell D. Culbertson (2) _____
(3) _____ (4) _____

Proposed Date of Interview: August 30, 2004 Proposed Time: 9:00 AM (AM/PM)

Type of Interview Requested:

(1) Telephonic (2) Personal (3) Video Conference

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: YES NO

If yes, provide brief description: _____

Issues To Be Discussed

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc)	Claims/ Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
(1) <u>Rej. _____</u>	<u>1 _____</u>	<u>US5,871,398</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(2) <u>Rej. _____</u>	<u>1 _____</u>	<u>US5,239,165</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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(4) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Continuation Sheet Attached

Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:
See attached copy of response filed August 23, 2004

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on _____.

NOTE:

This form should be completed by applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP § 713.01).

This application will not be delayed from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFR 1.133(b)) as soon as possible.

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature)

(Examiner/SPE Signature)

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